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FM AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA

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INFO AMEMBASSY BUCHAREST

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C O N F I D E N T I A L ADDIS ABABA 3298

E.O.11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR PINS OAU

SUBJ: OAU DELEGATION TO COMMUNIST COUNTRIES

REF: ADDIS 1146 (NOTAL)

1. DURING CONVERSATION WITH EMBOFFS MARCH 25, OAU ASST. SEC GEN PETER ONU REVEALED THAT HE WILL BE DEPARTING ADDIS MARCH 29 FOR THREE-WEEK TOUR OF "SOCIALIST COUNTRIES" AS MEMBER OF AFRICAN LIBERATION COMMITTEE (ALC) DELEGATION. MISSION WAS APPROVED AT MOGADISCIO 22ND ALC MEETING (REFTEL), AND DELEGATION WILL BE HEADED BY SOMALI FONMIN OMAR ARTEH. ITINERARY WILL INCLUDE PEKING, PYONYANG, MOSCOW AND BUCHAREST.

2. APPARENT PRINCIPAL PURPOSE OF MISSION WILL BE TO INCREASE COMMUNIST SUPPORT TO AFRICAN LIBERATION MOVEMENTS. ONU WILL PROBABLY DISCUSS LOS AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL ISSUES. WE ASSUME
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OMAR ARTEH WILL ALSO HAVE BILATERAL MATTERS TO RAISE, NOTABLY

IN PYONYANG.

3. WE UNDERSTAND THAT 23RD ALC MEETING MAY BE HELD IN YAOUNDE
IN MID-APRIL. WYMAN

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